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# **Homicide Investigation**

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred on Saturday August 29, 2015 at 721 Springville Road.

The victim has been identified as:

**Cameron Toles black male 16 years of age of Birmingham**

On Saturday, August 29, 2015, at approximately 12:30 a.m. Officers from the East Precinct were dispatched to 721 Springville Road on the report of a person being shot. Officers found the victim lying on the ground suffering from a gunshot wound. The victim was pronounced dead at the scene by Birmingham Fire and Rescue.

The victim and several other males exited a vehicle at the incident location and as they were walking away, the victim was shot. It is unknown at this time where the gunshot was fired from that struck the victim.

**Update:** Detectives obtained a Murder warrant against **Robert Clarke B/M 16 years of age of Birmingham**. Clarke is being charged as an adult and being held in the Jefferson County Jail on no bond. The investigation revealed that the victim and suspect were friends at one point and that relationship severed several months ago due to a dispute on Facebook. Also, it appears on the night of the murder the victim and suspect had a dispute in regards to several females at the incident location.

**If there is anyone who has additional information pertaining to the case, they are encouraged to contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.**